

## THREE ARE SLAIN

WOMAN SHOT AND BABES CLUBBED TO DEATH NEAR ELGIN, ILL.

### ENDS SEARCH OF FIVE DAYS

Coroner Declares Victims Were Slain by an Assassin—Manny Sleep, the Husband and Father, Collapses Under Strain.

Elgin, Ill., April 21.—Discovery of the mutilated bodies of Mrs. Maud Sleep, wife of a farmer living 3 1/2 miles west of Elgin, and her two children, aged two and four years, in the bottom of a dry cistern on the farm uncovered a gruesome murder mystery, which is baffling police authorities and residents of Elgin. Mrs. Sleep had been missing since last Monday. When found she was lying in a crumpled heap with her babies beside her, with four bullet wounds in the chest and neck, while the children's skulls had been smashed, apparently with the butt end of a revolver. Their heads were almost severed from their bodies.

**Revolver Found Beside Well.**  
A revolver with one chamber emptied was found beside the well, while a blood-stained ax lay in a wooded adjoining the house. No other clues have been discovered so far.

Immediately after the woman's body had been taken from the cistern and the bullet wounds were found, Coroner Norton communicated with the police officers and detained every person on the farm. All others who are known to have been on the place within the last week will be placed under surveillance.

Since Monday Mrs. Sleep and the babies have been missing. Two daughters, aged eleven and nineteen years, have led the searches night and day and have hunted over the entire countryside. The husband, Manny Sleep, has been laboring under a high nervous tension, which made a watch over him necessary.

**Find Bodies in the Cistern.**  
A revolver found near the cistern first directed the searches to the spot. Looking down, the first of the men saw the bodies and shrank back with a cry. Others hurried forward and the bodies were taken out.

The children were brought up first. Their bodies were stained with blood. The theory that the mother had killed them in a fit of mental derangement and had committed suicide after dropping them in the cistern was immediately advanced.

**Suicide Theory Abandoned.**  
When the body of Mrs. Sleep was drawn up and the four bullet wounds were discovered the suicide theory was abandoned.

"It seems we are face to face with a terrible murder," said Coroner Norton. "I can make nothing out of it. We'll have to wait until we find more clues."

Mrs. Sleep left her home Monday evening after making a few remarks to a hired hand.

"I am going to take a stroll around the farm with the children," she said. "Tell Ida to get supper."

Mrs. Sleep left with Orville, aged two years and Sarah, aged four. She was not seen after that time by any one so far discovered.

**Family Begins Search.**  
When dusk came and Mrs. Sleep did not return, the eleven-year-old daughter, and her father started a search. Calls for the mother remained unanswered. They visited the environs of the farm alone and then called in the neighbors for help. The search proved futile.

Throughout the night and the next day they searched for the mother and the children and then the husband's strength gave way. As time went on his nervousness increased.

Members of the searching party began their hunt for more clues as soon as the bodies had been drawn up and laid out on the ground beside the cistern.

### FRIEDMANN IS NOT LIABLE

Treasury Department Discovers No Law to Prevent Serum Treatments for Pay.

Washington, April 21.—Dr. F. F. Friedmann has not violated the public health laws by his action in treating patients at Providence, R. I., for pay with the remedy which he claims a cure for tuberculosis. The treasury department has studied the question informally and has found no issue between the government and Dr. Friedmann.

### FLYER KILLED IN ILLINOIS

Otto W. Brodie Loses Life When Machine Turns Turtle Fifty Feet From Ground.

Clearing, Ill., April 21.—Otto W. Brodie, an aviator, was killed when his aeroplane turned turtle and fell from fifty feet above the ground. Brodie's machine struck the ground in the field where the last Gordon Bennett cup race was started.

### Urges Revival of Reciprocity.

Washington, April 21.—Walter Scott of Regina, premier of Saskatchewan, is in Washington urging a revival of the Taft Canadian reciprocity agreement. He declares that the people of western Canada want reciprocity and that it was beaten by the easterners when the issue was up two years ago. "Reciprocity is bound to come," declared Mr. Scott.

## MAY PUNISH THE MAN WHO HIT CONGRESSMAN

Representative Sims, Attacked by Charles C. Glover, a Banker, to Take Action.

Washington, April 21.—Representative Garrett of Tennessee conferred with Speaker Clark and looked up precedents preparatory to bringing the attention of the house to the assault upon Representative Sims by Charles C. Glover, a local banker. Mr. Glover, in public statements, admits he struck Representative Sims on the face twice. Garrett declared the incident should not be permitted to pass without notice from the house.

"I find in looking up the precedents," said Mr. Garrett, "that there is one case in which the house took action in an assault upon a member as a result of statements made on the floor by that member. It was in Jackson's administration. Representative Stanbury of Ohio in a speech criticised Samuel Houston, a former member of congress and former governor of Tennessee. Houston was aroused by the remarks and lay in wait for Stanbury near the botanical garden, armed with a hickory stick. When Stanbury approached Houston attacked him. Houston was arrested, tried before the house and reprimanded."

Mr. Garrett contemplates submitting a resolution in the present case when the house meets.

"I know nothing about the merits of the controversy between Mr. Sims and Mr. Glover," said Mr. Garrett, "but the constitution provides that members of congress must not be held personally accountable for statements made on the floor in debate, and an assault of this character cannot be left unnoticed."

### BILL WILL UNSEAT SOLO

Passage of Gerrymander Measure Adding New District in Ohio Creates an Upheaval.

Columbus, O., April 21.—Creating an additional congressional district in Ohio, legislating out of office several Democratic congressmen and dividing the state into 11 supposedly Republican and 11 supposedly Democratic districts, the house and senate have passed the Fulton congressional gerrymander bill.

Under the provisions of the measure Democratic leaders say that the following Democratic congressmen will be gerrymandered out of office by changes in their districts:

Stanley Bowdle, J. D. Post, W. G. Sharp, E. R. Bathrick, W. H. Francis and either Robert Crosser or Robert Mackay.

The only Republican to lose out will be Congressman Frank B. Willis. Governor Cox favors the bill and will sign it.

### BRITISH ENVOY IS ON WAY

Sir Cecil Arthur Spring-Rice, New Ambassador, Starts for New York.

London, April 21.—Sir Cecil Arthur Spring-Rice, the new British ambassador to the United States, left London to sail for New York on the Carmania.

"I shall assume the duties of my office as British ambassador immediately on my arrival in Washington," he said before his departure, "and my family will come on later."

The staff of the United States embassy, Lady Ponsonby and the duke of Devonshire were at the railway station to take farewell of the ambassador, who succeeds James Bryce at Washington.

Mrs. E. H. Harriman sailed for America on the same steamer.

### REVERE'S RIDE IS RECALLED

Lantern Hung in Belfry of Old North Church by Descendant on Anniversary.

Boston, April 21.—Miss Pauline Revere hung a lantern in the belfry tower of the "Old North Church" in observance of the midnight ride of her famous ancestor 133 years ago. Miss Revere, who is only fourteen years old, took part in exercises held at the historic church in celebration of the eve of the battle of Lexington. Longfellow's poem, "Paul Revere's Ride," was recited by Prof. Charles T. Copeland of Harvard, Bishop William H. Lawrence spoke on the significance of a peaceful Patriots' day, and the church bells peal out patriotic tunes. Officials of the state and city joined in the observance.

### Last of Famed Triplets.

Greenwich, Conn., April 21.—The death here of Mrs. Hope Trower Allcorn, the last of triplets born in England eighty years ago, and named Faith, Hope and Charity, is announced. Charity lived to be only fifty-two years old. Faith died at the age of seventy-four. The three were born in Hereford, Sussex county, England, in 1832.

### Asks Protest on Tariff.

Buffalo, April 21.—The chamber of commerce has decided to call a mass meeting at which a delegation will be selected and sent to Washington to protest against some features of the tariff bill. Both the milling and the meat-packing industries of the state are threatened, it is stated, in a resolution adopted by the board of directors.

## THAT TIRED FEELING



## SON IS CHIEF HEIR

WILL MAKE J. P. MORGAN RESIDUARY LEGATEE AFTER OTHERS ARE PROVIDED FOR.

### WIDOW IS GIVEN \$3,000,000

Anne Morgan Receives Similar Amount—Should She Marry and Leave Children the Principal Will Revert to Her Children.

New York, April 21.—J. Pierpont Morgan is the chief beneficiary in the will of his father, according to facts made known here from authoritative sources.

To Mrs. J. Pierpont Morgan, the widow, is left the income of \$3,000,000 for life, the principal on her death to revert to the estate. In addition Mrs. Morgan also gets the use for life of the Morgan residence at 219 Madison avenue, as well as the country place at Highland Falls, N. Y.

Anne Morgan Given \$3,000,000.  
To Miss Anne Morgan a similar monetary bequest of \$3,000,000 is made, the income from this amount to be paid to her during her life. Should she marry and leave children it is provided that the principal on her death shall revert to the children.

But should she die unmarried or childless, the full amount of the principal, it is provided, shall revert to the residuary estate. The residuary would be it possible under the will for Miss Morgan's husband to inherit the money.

To Mrs. Herbert L. Satterlee, formerly Laura A. P. Morgan, and Mrs. W. Pierson Hamilton, who was Juliet T. Morgan, the income of \$3,000,000 is devised separately, with the proviso that upon their deaths the full sum in each case shall go to their children.

**Employees Are Remembered.**  
For the rest, two employees of Mr. Morgan who served him faithfully and upon whom he relied particularly—Miss Belle de Costa Greene and Mrs. Ada Thurston—have been generously remembered. Miss Greene and Mrs. Thurston served Mr. Morgan in his wonderful library.

Phillips, the valet, who had been in Mr. Morgan's service for fifteen years, \$15,000. To each of the household staff in the employ of Mr. Morgan for more than five years the sum of \$1,000 is bequeathed.

The son is made the residuary legatee.

Not even the members of the family, to whom the will has been read, know the extent of the fortune which Mr. Morgan left. No accurate estimate, it is said, can be made until after the estate has been appraised, the work of which, unofficially, is already under way.

### W. R. NELSON IS UPHELD

Kansas City Editor Sentenced to Jail Exonerated by Report of Commissioner.

Jefferson City, Mo., April 21.—William R. Nelson, editor and owner of the Kansas City Star, was found not guilty of malice in the publication of the article for which he was adjudged guilty of contempt of court and sentenced to a day in jail last February by Circuit Judge Joseph A. Guthrie.

The article itself was "substantially true," and unless in the court's opinion that article in itself is contemptuous the petitioner should be discharged.

These were the findings reported to the supreme court by its commissioner in the case of Charles C. Crow of Kansas City.

### PLAN FOR G. O. P. CONVENTION

Republican Leaders to Demand Committee Call Meeting Next Fall.

Washington, April 21.—Formal demand on the officers of the Republican national convention next fall for revision of the party's rules is expected to result from conferences among leaders. It is understood Senator Cummings and others active with him are taking steps to bring about a national gathering. Reduction of southern representation and choice of national convention delegates under state primary laws are reforms sought.

## FIVE ARE FOUND GUILTY; USED MAILS TO DEFRAUD

Promoters and Former Officials of International Lumber and Development Co. Freed on Bail.

Philadelphia, Pa., April 21.—The five promoters and former officers of the International Lumber and Development company were found guilty of using the mails in a scheme to defraud. A sealed verdict was submitted to Federal Judge Wilmer.

Those convicted are: John R. Markley of Chicago, chief promoter of the company; Isiah B. Miller, his partner; Charles M. McMahon, former secretary and treasurer; William Armstrong, Jr., former general manager, and Colonel Alfred G. Stewart, a director and commissioner.

James Searlet, chief counsel for the defense, made an appeal for an arrest of judgment for three days in order that a motion for a new trial could be filed. Bail was then entered by the convicted men in the sum of \$15,000 each, pending the outcome of the appeal.

### MRS. STORY HEADS D. A. R.

New York Woman Wins by Majority of 101—Mrs. Horton Is Second.

Washington, April 21.—Mrs. William Cummings Story of New York, head of the conservative faction, was elected president general of the society of the daughters of the American revolution, defeating Mrs. John Miller Horton of Buffalo, the administration candidate, on the third ballot. The vote stood Mrs. Story 600, Mrs. Horton 449.

Seven vice-presidents general were also elected including Mrs. Thomas Kite of Ohio, Mrs. Rhett Goode of Ala-



Mrs. William C. Story.

bama, Mrs. Allan P. Perley of Pennsylvania, Mrs. Ben Gray of Missouri, Miss Harriett Lake of Iowa, Mrs. John Swift of California and Mrs. John Dinwiddie of Indiana.

The election came after three days of constant balloting during which time Mrs. Story gained steadily on each ballot.

### SENATOR CRANE IS HONORED

Parade Two Miles Long Is Held in Dalton to Celebrate His Homecoming.

Dalton, Mass., April 21.—Thousands of persons from cities and towns in western Massachusetts attended the homecoming celebration and reception to former United States Senator Winthrop Murray Crane.

Mr. Crane reviewed a parade two miles long of delegations from various parts of Berkshire county, companies of militia, school children and Dalton citizens. Later in the day he was presented with a loving cup. The town was decorated with American flags, bunting and pictures of the ex-senator.

## BRYAN TAKES HAND

TELEGRAPHS GOV. JOHNSON REQUEST TO SIGN NO BILLS IN VIOLATION OF TREATIES.

### CALIFORNIA IS HESITATING

Antislavery Bills Are Put Over Until Latter Part of This Week—Bishop Harris Fears for Peace Between U. S. and Japan.

Washington, April 21.—Secretary Bryan telegraphed to Governor Johnson of California requesting him to withhold his signature from any antislavery legislation passed by the California legislature which might be in violation of treaties between the United States and Japan.

### Fears for Peace.

San Francisco, Cal., April 21.—A cablegram from Tokyo, received by the Japanese American, a Japanese newspaper here, describes the mass meeting of Japanese and American missionaries over which Count Okuma presided. The message refers to the address of Bishop Harris of the Methodist Episcopal church for Japan and Korea, whose cablegram to the legislature was the subject of comment in the senate. Bishop Harris wept while speaking and said he believed his forty years' work for peace and good will between the United States and Japan was to be undone if the California legislature did not modify its attitude.

### Alien Land Bills Put Over.

Sacramento, Cal., April 21.—Further action on the anti-alien land bills pending before the California legislature has been deferred until the latter part of this week. This decision was reached because word was expected from Washington in relation to the protest of the Japanese government against possible infringement of the treaty rights of Japanese citizens in this state. Reports of the popular agitation in Japan over the proposed action in California provoked considerable comment about the legislative chambers. The violence of these protests as well as the inquiries as to the effect of the proposed bills upon other alien interests in California led to the belief here that President Wilson might find it expedient to indicate his views or suggest a course of action tending to relieve the situation.

### Gives Motive for Postponement.

"If the position taken by the Japanese is what cable dispatches contain," said one of the senate leaders, "it seems inevitable that some word must come from Washington soon without waiting for the passage of a particular bill by the legislature. For that reason and in view of the widespread interest that has sprung up in California, it was thought better to postpone any further consideration of the matter until next week."

The postponement applies also to the various amendments to the bills that have been offered and discussion of these has gone over, too. A poll of the senate disclosed an overwhelming majority in favor of an anti-alien bill, but scarcely a handful of senators indicated a wish to include in its provisions foreigners of foreign corporations controlled by persons eligible to citizenship. The campaign in behalf of European investments in the state, it was asserted, had begun to be reflected in the change of opinion among individual members in this regard.

According to Senator Thompson, who drafted the original committee substitute in the senate, the only bill acceptable to the Japanese would be one placing all aliens on a par. A poll of the house shows that such a law could not be passed.

In case no word comes from Washington, it is regarded as certain here that a law directed almost solely against the Japanese will be passed, with clauses exempting all European corporations. Only seven members of the senate have declared themselves against such a bill.

### Wilson Discusses His Attitude.

Washington, April 21.—President Wilson is keeping in close touch with the situation both in Japan and California over the proposed alien land legislation. He read with interest the dispatches from Tokyo describing popular feeling against the bills and studied the text of the pending measures, as well as a synopsis of similar laws in New York and Texas. The government must of necessity refrain from interference with California while in the process of legislating and could not make its attitude known to inquiring nations until the bills were passed. He added, however, that if any impression had been circulated in Japan that the administration here had become indifferent to the developments in California, such a view was unjustified and that judgment as to the measure should be withheld until they are finally framed and passed.

### Girl Killed in Auto Accident.

Hammond, Ind., April 21.—Losing control of the automobile owned by her mistress, Mrs. John Commons of Wayne county, nineteen-year-old Edith Dean drove it into a ditch and the car was overturned on both women. Miss Dean was instantly killed. Mrs. Commons was internally hurt.

### Carlson Wins B. A. A. Marathon.

Boston, April 21.—Fritz Carlson of Cooke's gymnasium, Minneapolis, won the B. A. A. Marathon here. Time, 2:26:14. Sockalexis finished second. His time was 2:27:12. Harry Smith of New York finished third. His time was 2:32:45.

## KENTUCKY DUEL

RESULTS IN TWO DEATHS AND WOUNDING OF FIVE—STRAY BULLET KILLS CITY JUDGE.

Row Over Woman With a Carnival Company Starts Trouble—Crowd Is Stampeded.

Western Newspaper Union News Service.

Franklin, Ky.—In a pistol duel here City Judge I. H. Goodnight and Will Taylor, 45 years old, were slain, and James Taylor, 25 years old, son of Will Taylor, was fatally wounded, while four others were slightly wounded. The Clifton Kelly shows, or Carnival Co., have been showing at the fair grounds here for a week, and it was at the conclusion of a performance when the shooting began. James Taylor had an altercation with one of the showmen over a woman, who appealed to Sheriff Robert Gossett for protection. The sheriff threatened young Taylor with arrest and quieted him for the time. Young Taylor, however, found his father and related to him his experience with the sheriff, whereupon the elder Taylor went gunning and at sight of Gossett opened fire with a big revolver.

## PUBLIC TIRED OF MILITANT TACTICS

London.—The tide was turned on the suffragettes, and Hyde park, heretofore a popular meeting place for the followers of Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst, probably will not be a Mecca for advocates for the ballot for some time to come. At least the suffragettes had plenty of evidence that the public has tired of the militancy, and only the protection offered by large bodies of police saved the women from the hands of the angry mobs. At Brighton the suffragettes were chased off the esplanade and took refuge in a neighboring house. This was surrounded by howling thousands, who bombarded the place with stones and smashed every window. In defiance of the ban on meeting at Hyde park the Women's Social and Political union attempted to carry on its propaganda there. Londoners had anticipated that such attempts would be made and 20,000 assembled at the customary meeting place.

### MAYOR SENTENCED TO 15 YEARS.

Paris.—Eugene Prosper Piron, mayor of Gentilly, who was charged with an attempt to murder two aged women near Chantilly some time ago, has been sentenced to 15 years' imprisonment. The motive alleged was robbery, it being claimed that Piron had lost heavily in speculation on the bourse.

## CINCINNATI MARKETS

Corn—No. 2 white 62 1/2 @ 63 1/2, No. 2 white 61 1/2 @ 62 1/2, No. 4 white 58 @ 60 1/2, No. 2 yellow 62 @ 63, No. 3 yellow 61 @ 61 1/2, No. 4 yellow 58 @ 60, No. 2 mixed 61 @ 62, No. 3 mixed 60 @ 61 1/2, No. 4 mixed 57 @ 59 1/2, white ear 60 @ 62, yellow ear 60 @ 63, mixed ear 60 @ 62.

Hay—No. 1 timothy \$17.50 @ 18, standard timothy \$16.50 @ 17, No. 2 timothy \$15.50 @ 16, No. 3 timothy \$12.50 @ 14, No. 1 clover mixed \$16.50 @ 17, No. 2 clover mixed \$14.50 @ 15.50, No. 1 clover \$12.50 @ 13.50, No. 2 clover \$9.50 @ 11.50.

Oats—No. 2 white 38c, standard white 37 @ 37 1/2, No. 3 36 @ 36 1/2, No. 4 white 34 @ 35 1/2, No. 2 mixed 35 @ 35 1/2, No. 3 mixed 34 1/2 @ 35, No. 4 mixed 33 @ 34.

Wheat—No. 2 red \$1.11 @ 1.13, No. 3 red \$1.04 @ 1.05, No. 4 red 86c @ \$1.

Eggs—Prime firsts 16 1/2c, firsts 15 1/2c, ordinary firsts 14 1/2c, seconds 13 1/2c.

Poultry—Hens, heavy (over 4 lbs) 13c, (4 lbs and under) 15c, young stags 12c, old roosters 10c, springers (1 to 1 1/2 lb) 30 @ 40c, (2 lbs and over) 20 @ 25c; ducks (4 lbs and over) 16c, white (under 4 lbs) 13c; turkeys (8 lbs and over) 17c, young 15c.

Cattle—Shippers \$7.35 @ 8.25, extra \$8.00 @ 8.40; butcher steers, extra \$8 @ 8.25, good to choice \$7.50 @ 7.90, common to fair \$6.25 @ 7.25; heifers, extra \$8.25, good to choice \$7.50 @ 8.15, common to fair \$6.75 @ 7.25; cows, extra \$6.75 @ 7, good to choice \$6.25 @ 6.75, common to fair \$4.25 @ 6.15; canners \$4.50 @ 4.25.

Bulls—Bologna \$7 @ 7.50, fat bulls \$7.25 @ 7.75.

Calves—Extra \$7.75 @ 8, fair to good \$6 @ 7.50, common and large \$5 @ 7.25. Hogs—Selected heavy \$9.20 @ 9.25, good to choice packers and butchers \$8.20 @ 9.25, mixed packers \$9 @ 9.20, stags \$5.50 @ 7.50, common to choice heavy fat sows \$6 @ 8.50, common to choice heavy fat sows \$4 @ 8.50, extra \$5.50, light shippers \$7.35 @ 9, pigs (100 lbs and less) \$4.50 @ 7.75.

Clipped Sheep—Extra \$5.50, good to choice \$5 @ 5.40, common to fair \$4 @ 4.75; wool sheep \$4.50 @ 6.50.

Clipped Lambs—Extra \$7.50, good to choice \$7 @ 7.40, common to fair \$5 @ 6.75; wool lambs \$8 @ 8.50; spring lambs \$8 @ 8.10.

### FIRE IN JEWELRY STORE.

Terre Haute, Ind.—Fire in the art department of the Swope-Nehf Jewelry Co. caused a loss of \$25,000 and for a time threatened an entire square in the business section. Firemen were hampered because of the intense heat, but finally succeeded in confining the blaze to the three-story building. The damage was wrought in a large stock of fine china, heavy silver plate and art goods. The merchandise in the front part of the store was not damaged except by water.